An insurrection broke out in Madrid on the 2d. Thirty or forty thousand people collected in the streets, and in the houses, firing from the windows. Two battalions of the fusiliers of the Guard, with 400 or 500 horse, restored order. More than two thousand of the mob were killed.

18th, Order for the Grand Duke of Berg to move Genera! Dupont with his first division towards Cadiz,

21st. All the talk about a divorce does a great deal of harm; it is as improper as it is hurtful.

28th. (To Decres.) If we have 19 of the line in the Mediterranean; *$* in the Adriatic, at Aneona; £0 at Flushing; 25 at Brest, Lorient, and Rochefort; *%* at Bordeaux; 8 at Cadi/- and Lisbon; total 77 French ships, to which add 10 that the King of Holland has in his port; 1 for Denmark; 1[1]2 of the Emperor of Russia in the Baltic; 11 which the Krnperorof Russia has at Lisbon and Toulon; 20 of the Spaniards: total .14; this would form a mass of 181 ships; and if we wen", to deduct the 12 Russians in the Baltic, it would leave 110 under my direct control, and backed up by camps of 7000 men at the Texel, of £5,000 men at Antwerp, of 80,000 men at Boulogne, of 30,000 at Brest, of 10,000 at Lorient and at Roehefort, of 6000 Spaniards at Ferrol, of 30,000 men at Lisbon, of 20,000 men at Carthagena, of 25,000 at Toulon, of 15,000 at Reggio, and of 15,000 at Taranto, That looks to me like a chess board on which, without asking much of Fortune, or demanding extraordinary skill from our seamen, we sjhould get very good results.

31st. The bottom of the great question is; who shall have Constantinople?

June 3d. I have dictated orders for energetic steps to